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JOINT STATE/USIA MESSAGE

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: EFIN, AU  
SUBJECT: GUIDANCE ON INTERNATIONAL FINANCIAL POLICIES

1. AS DOLLAR SLIPS FURTHER ON VIENNA EXCHANGE,  
CONCERNS THAT PREVIOUSLY HAD BEEN CONVEYED PRIVATELY TO  
EMBOFFS HAVE INCREASINGLY TAKEN FORM OF STRONG CHARGE  
IN PROMINENT ARTICLES IN VIENNA PRESS, INCLUDING  
GOVERNING SOCIALIST PARTY "ARBEITER ZEITUNG" AND  
PRESTIGIOUS, INDEPENDENT "DIE PRESSE". ESSENCE OF PRESS  
CHARGE IS THAT US IS USING DOLLAR IN IRRESPONSIBLE  
FASHION AS TRADE WEAPON.

2. WITHIN LIMITS OF EARLIER GUIDELINES WE HAVE BEEN  
USING AVAILABLE STATEMENTS BY TOP USG ECONOMIC OFFICIALS  
TO EXPLAIN OUR ACTIONS (OR LACK THEREOF). HOWEVER,  
SINCE MANY OF THESE RELATE TO SITUATION LAST SUMMER,  
THEY (AND DATA CITED) ARE DATED. BOTH PUBLIC AFFAIRS  
AND EMBOFFS WOULD APPRECIATE ANY NEW MATERIAL AVAILABLE  
TO HELP COUNTER CHARGES PLEASE ADVISE TOO WHETHER  
EARLIER GUIDELINES REMAIN VALID. BORG  
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